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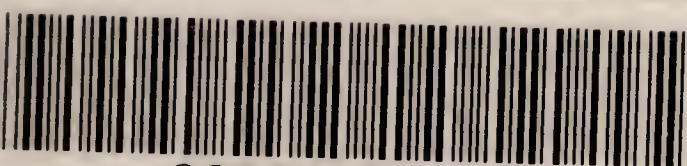
				In-Patients	Out-Patients
ITALIAN	12,919	170,226
African	9	10
Algerian	9	4
American	29	77
Arabian	...	...	...	—	4
Armenian	...	...	...	2	10
Australian	...	...	...	19	6
Austrian	...	...	...	43	584
Belgian	...	...	...	103	229
Brazilian	...	...	...	3	8
BRITISH	...	...	...	9,953	94,698
Bulgarian	...	...	...	—	5
Canadian	...	...	...	114	22
Chilian	...	...	...	1	—
Chinese	...	...	...	4	2
Czecho-Slovakian	...	...	...	9	34
Danish	...	...	...	18	33
Dutch	...	...	...	7	44
Egyptian	...	...	...	1	26
Esthonian	...	...	...	1	—
Finnish ...	...	...	...	1	1
French	...	...	...	352	1,545
German	...	...	...	278	4,659
Greek	...	...	...	27	60
Hungarian	...	...	...	47	645
Indian Empire	...	...	...	14	26
Irish	...	...	...	7	3
Japanese	...	...	...	2	3
Latvian	...	...	...	—	2
Lithuanian	...	...	...	—	12
Maltese	...	...	...	2	—
Mexican	...	...	...	3	3
New Zealand	...	...	...	12	—
Norwegian	...	...	...	3	11
Persian	...	...	...	1	4
Polish	...	...	...	44	3,932
Portuguese	...	...	...	9	12
Roumanian	...	...	...	7	71
Russian	...	...	...	110	3,867
Serbian	...	...	...	2	65
South African	...	...	...	1	—
Spanish	48	147
Swedish	11	45
Swiss	539	2,589
Syrian	1	6
Turkish	12	6
				24,677	283,636

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THE ITALIAN HOSPITAL

ESTABLISHED FOR

(A) The maintenance and medical treatment of—

1.— Italians and Italian-speaking people, irrespective of their religious and political opinions, who may be suffering from sickness or bodily infirmity, and

2,— All persons, without distinction of nationality or creed who may be suffering from sickness or bodily infirmity,

(B) The provision of surgical and medical relief to Italians and others not being inmates of the Hospital,

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2. Emergencies shall be admitted at any time, but the patient's doctor should telephone to the House Surgeon or, in his absence, to the Matron, in order to ascertain whether a bed is available.
3. No case shall be accepted for admission to the General Hospital which is within the following category :—
 - (a) Cases deemed incurable after due examination.
 - (b) Cases so tedious of cure as to preclude for a considerable period the admission of more urgent cases.
 - (c) Cases which are more properly objects for parochial relief.
 - (d) Infectious and other diseases which might endanger other patients.
 - (e) Mental cases,
 - (f) Cases likely to be aggravated rather than cured by confinement to a Hospital Ward, but such cases, if deemed proper objects, shall receive treatment as Out-Patients.
 - (g) Venereal diseases.
4. All Patients—or their relatives in cases of emergency—shall be interviewed by the Lady Almoner before admission to the Wards.
5. The undermentioned fees shall be charged towards the cost of maintenance :—

Medical Cases—£1 1s. per week.

Surgical Cases—£1 11s. 6d. per week.

Patients are required to bring face flannel, soap, towel, tooth-brush, brush and comb, change of linen, dressing gown and slippers.

Private Patients Department see Page 12

Times of attendance of the Visiting Medical Staff at the Out-Patient Department.

New Cases seen daily (except Wednesday and Sunday), 10 to 11 a.m.

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Relatives and friends may visit In-patients—
WEDNESDAY, 2 to 4 p.m. SUNDAY, 2 to 4 p.m.

Orario delle Visite Reparto Ammalati d'Ambulatorio.

Visite per ammalati nuovi tutti i giorni (esclusi Mercoledì e Domenica)
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...	Mercoledì	alle ore	10	
	Sabato	„	„	2.30

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Dott. S. RE, ...	Giovedì delle ore	10 alle	12	
Cav. Uff. Dott. C. RAMPAGNI, ...	„	„	12	2
Dott. O. GALLI, ...	„	„	2	4

ORARIO DI VISITA AGLI AMMALATI INTERNI.

E' permesso visitare gli Ammalati Interni al Mercoledì e Domenica
dalle ore 2 alle 4 p.m.

Italian Hospital

Private Patients' Department

There is accommodation at the Hospital for Private Patients in separate rooms. The fees are as follows :

MEDICAL CASES	£5 5 0 per week
SURGICAL CASES	£5 5 0 per week plus £1.1.0 Theatre Fee

and an additional fee for medical attention payable to the Physician or Surgeon in charge.

The above fees include any special treatments which may be required, (e.g. Massage, Electrical, and Ultra-violet Rays) with the exception of X-ray examinations or treatments.

Patients can only be admitted to the Department under the care of a member of the Visiting Medical Staff attached to the Hospital.

Further information regarding this Department may be obtained from the Secretary of the Hospital, to whom all enquiries should be addressed.

REPORT

of

The Committee of Management
for the year 1932

AN URGENT CALL

Reduced incomes, increased taxation, and the inevitable uncertainty of the present day have placed the Hospital in the gravest position in its history. A united effort and self-sacrifice alone can save the Charity.

Please send a contribution whether Pounds or Shillings to—

THE MARCHESE BERNARDO PATRIZI,
(*Chairman*)

Italian Hospital,

Queen Square, W.C.1.

NO AMOUNT TOO SMALL

THE ITALIAN HOSPITAL

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT FOR THE YEAR 1932

A scheme for the thorough redecoration and preservation of the fabric of the Hospital, which was executed during the past year, and which is dealt with more fully at a later stage in this Report, reduced the accommodation available for the treatment of both In-patients and Out-patients, and whilst neither department was actually closed, the number of cases had to be strictly limited whilst such operations were in progress. A diminution in the Hospital's activities was one of the inevitable results of such an undertaking, and this is clearly demonstrated by the undermentioned figures:—

	1931	1932
No. of In-patients treated to a conclusion	662	547
No. of New Out-patients	3,876	3,007
No. of Out-patient Attendances ...	13,690	12,125

It must be mentioned here, however, that the number of sufferers seeking the Institution's aid appeared to be decidedly greater than for some time past, and it is a significant fact that whilst the Italian Colony in London is undeniably diminishing, the number of sick Italians desiring to take advantage of the privileges afforded by the Hospital showed a definite increase. Your Committee cannot but believe this to be conclusive evidence of the increasing popularity of the Charity and of its having found its true place in the hearts of those to whom it ministers.

The bed complement remained unchanged, viz., 42, but the average number open was 38. The average number in occupation was 30.6, as compared with 33 for the previous year.

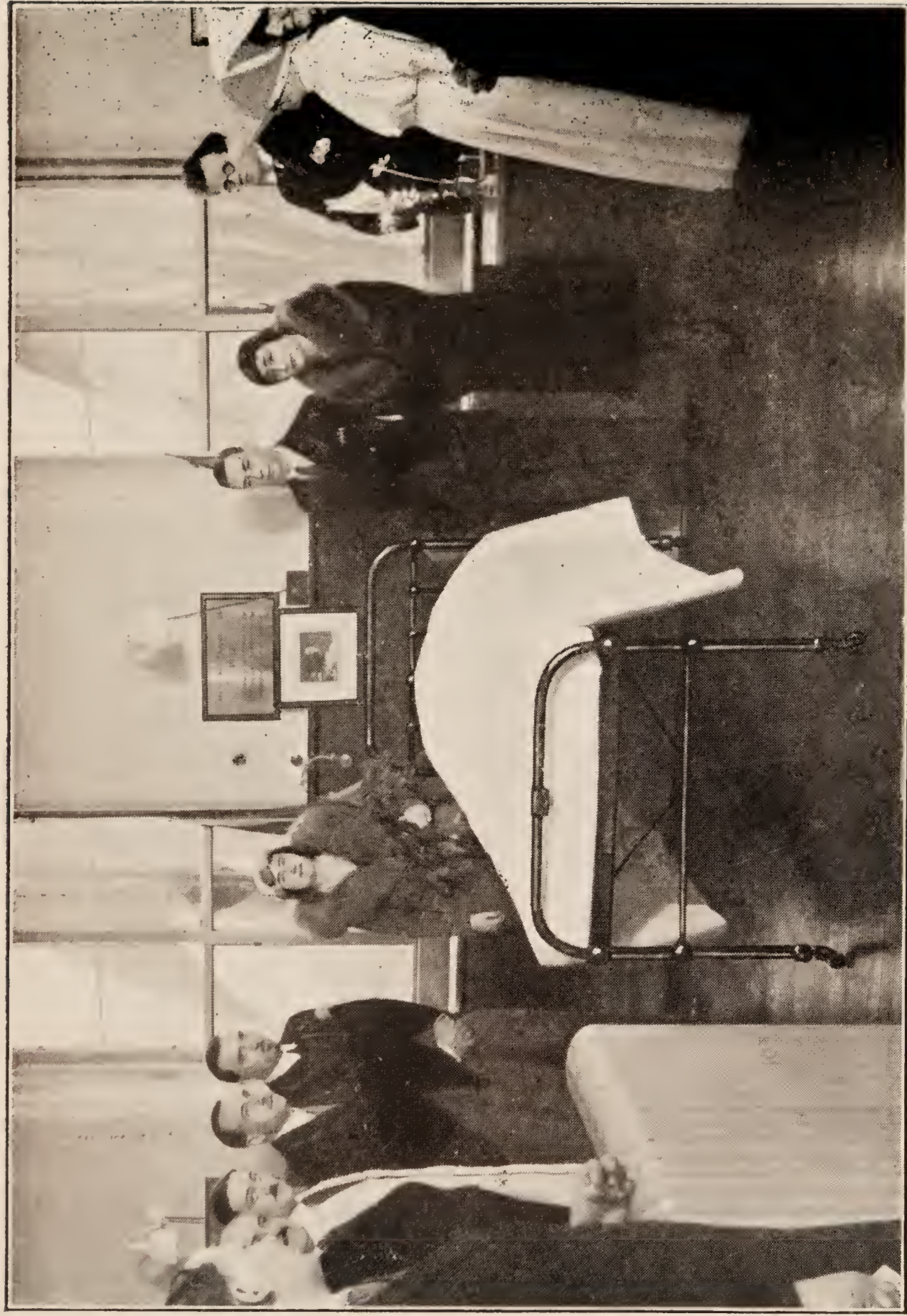
Before commenting upon the items included under the various headings of income and expenditure, your Committee must record their deep appreciation for the self-sacrificing and loyal help given by many of the Hospital's friends.

Notwithstanding the grave financial difficulties and unpromising outlook of the past year the generosity of subscribers and donors more than justified the Committee's belief that no further scheme of retrenchment would be acceptable which would impair the Charity's task of alleviating bodily suffering and the only too frequent accompanying distress of mind of a family's breadwinner whose state of health no longer permits him to succour his dependents. It must be remembered, however, that with the full complement of beds available for In-patients and all other Departments working at full pressure, the resultant increment in the volume of work during the year 1933 will necessitate an increased expenditure, and the Committee must earnestly call attention to the imperative need for new and increased subscriptions.

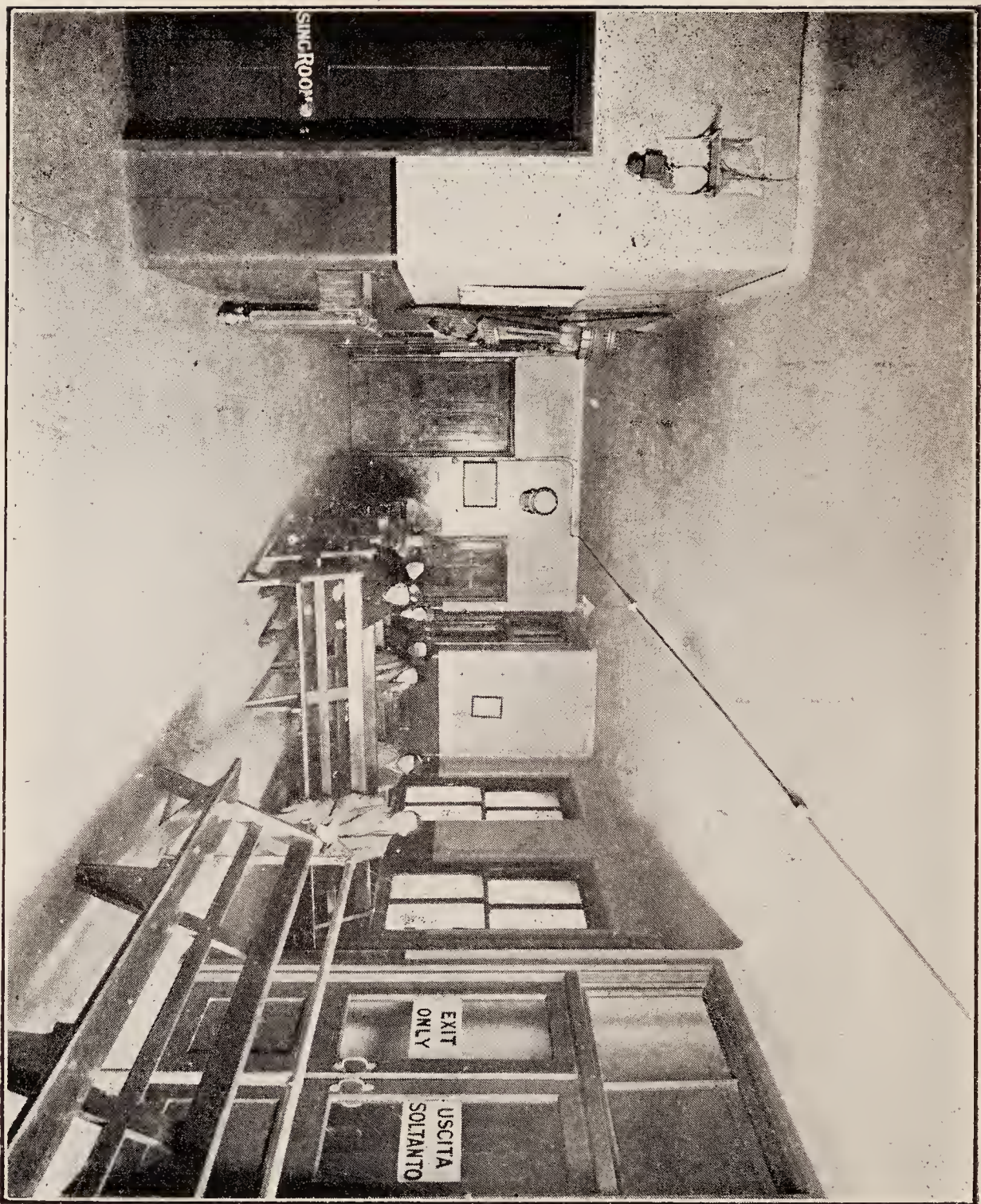
The following comparative statement shows the amounts received under the main headings of income during 1931 and 1932 :—

	1931	1932	
Annual Subscriptions ...	£397	£405 +	£8
Donations and Box Col- lections	£1,633	£1,801 +	£167
Central Funds	£575	£610 +	£35
Patients and their Societies	£1,867	£1,916 +	£49
Interest and Dividends ...	£1,259	£1,329 +	£70
Legacies	£1,164	£5 -	£1,159

The increase in Patients' payments was attributable to a greater number of Private Patients, and the only legacy received was £5 from the executors of the late Mrs. Johanna Reardon.



Unveiling of the "Bordonaro" Bed on the visit of the T.R.H. Duke and Duchess of York.



THE OUTPATIENT DEPARTMENT

On the debit side of the accounts reductions are to be observed in the Institution's upkeep corresponding to the decrease in activities enforced by the redecorative and repair work, whilst the cost of "Renewals and Repairs to Buildings and Plant" naturally show an enormous increase, and reasons for and details of this large sum of £1,385 16s. 10d. must forthwith be quoted. Your Committee were cognisant for many years that the rather dirty state of the internal appearance of the Institution was by no means likely to be helpful to those seeking cure or relief within its walls, and it was never due to complacency that this unfortunate state of affairs was left unremedied but to insufficiency of funds even for the maintenance of the Hospital's work. It is no exaggeration to state that sections of the Hospital had not been redecorated since its foundation, and repeated washing had removed practically all paint from the surfaces. Last year, therefore, the Committee were faced with grave risks of rapid deterioration of fabric due to lack of protective paint and sound roofing, danger from perishing electrical wiring, and failure of the thirty-two years old domestic heating boiler. Immediate action was essential, as not only were activities under such conditions rapidly developing into an absolute impossibility, but in the opinion of the Hon. Architect delay would involve a much greater outlay in future years, yet still no funds were available for so extensive an undertaking, which was estimated by the Honorary Architect to cost considerably in excess of £1,000. Here was the Committee's dilemma, and the only solution was to be found in again borrowing £1,000 from the Trustees, increasing the accumulated debt to £3,700. This, the only key to the enigma, was reluctantly used by your Committee, and it is hoped that every Governor and Subscriber will rally in a special effort to liquidate the burden of this accumulated debt of £3,700, which is so crushing to an Institution boasting of so small a reserve.

The main items of expenditure were :—

	£	s.	d.
Painting and redecorating	872	2	6
Electrical renewals and repairs	271	3	4
Domestic Heating Boiler	93	0	0
New Roof	45	0	0

It must be borne in mind, however, that whilst these exceptional expenses had by the regulations issued by King Edward's Hospital Fund for London to be included in the year's ordinary expenditure, such costly operations were not only definitely items which would not recur for many years hence, but also would prevent an annual expenditure of a large sum on repair work which essentially could have been only of a temporary and most unsatisfactory nature. Further, the Committee desire to emphasise that despite its extreme urgency they would not have ventured upon this scheme had it not been for the fact that, whilst "Investments in respect of General Purposes" had to be reduced by the sum borrowed, viz., £1,000, "Investments in respect of Hospital Endowments" were increased by a similar amount as a result of the Baron Profumo's generous gesture in naming a bed, to which special reference is made later in this report.

Your Committee tender their hearty thanks to Mr. A. Burnett Brown, F.S.I., F.R.I.B.A., who accepted their invitation to serve the Hospital as Honorary Architect, and who prepared specifications for and supervised the whole of the above-mentioned work. It is also desired to acknowledge the generosity of Cav. Costantino Secchi, who again came to the Hospital's aid by supplying and fixing the boiler at a considerably reduced figure.

Although the accounts show a balance of £1,128 5s. 1d., being excess of total expenditure over total income, there can be no suggestion of extravagance, as only essential expenditure was sanctioned and rigid economy observed throughout the year, but in endeavouring to present a statistical proof of the Hospital's economical working two main difficulties are encountered: First, the enforced curtailment of the Institution's activities naturally tended to increase the cost per patient, since although the number of persons treated diminished, little or no change could be brought about in overhead charges. Secondly, the extraordinarily heavy cost of repairs to the fabric, &c., renders useless for comparative purposes the expenditure under the heading of "Establishment." The first difficulty cannot be overcome, but the second can be remedied by statistical costs (i.e., the total expenditure less the cost of "Establishment" and

“ Finance ”) only being used in the ensuing calculations. Under these circumstances the saving effected was no mean achievement.

	£	s.	d.
<i>In-patients.</i>			
Average weekly statistical cost per In-patient, 1931	3	8	2½
Average weekly statistical cost per In-patient, 1932	3	7	0½
Reduction	£0	1	2
<i>Out-patients.</i>			
Average statistical cost per Out-patient Attendance, 1931	0	1	0.1
Average statistical cost per Out-patient Attendance, 1932	0	1	0.27
Increase	£0	0	0.17
£ s. d.			
∴ 1,602 weeks (spent by patients in Hospital) x 1/2d =	93	9	0
Less			
12,125 Out-patient Attendances x increase of 0.17 pence =	8	11	9¼
STATISTICAL SAVING	£84	17	2¾

The international financial situation incited the Committee to consider the disposal of certain holdings, and their re-investment in other securities.

Accordingly the following holdings were sold :

Lit. 462,000 Italian 5% Consolidated Loan.

Lit. 17,400 Italian 3½% Rentes.

£6,920 (335 Bonds) South Italian Railway Bonds.

£2,600 Queensland Government 3¾% Inscribed Stock.

As a result of these sales £9,054 9s. 2d. net was realised. £1,000 having been transferred to general funds

towards the cost of redecorations, &c., as already explained, the balance of £8,051 6s. 10d., plus £1,000 for the " Profumo Bed " endowment, the proceeds of certain drawn bonds which amounted to £318 11s. 3d., and bonus £25 12s. 9d. received on conversion of 5% War Loan, totalled £9,398 13s. 2d., which was invested as under :—

	£	s.	d.
£13,000 Italian Maremmana Railway			
5% Bonds at 66 5/13... ..	8,663	9	0
£682 4s. 8d. India 4½% Stock 1950/55			
at 107	735	4	2
	<hr/>		
	£9,398	13	2
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It is anticipated that these securities will yield an annual income of approximately £550, as against £443 from the holdings of which your Committee disposed.

It is interesting to note that by the 31st December the market value of the new holdings was £10,745 4s. 2d., an appreciation of £1,346 11s. 0d.

On June 8th, 1932, the Hospital sustained a tragic loss in the sudden passing of its beloved President, His late Excellency Signor Antonio Chiaramonte Bordonaro (Royal Italian Ambassador). His indefatigable interest in the Hospital's welfare and his attention to matters of detail were unparalleled, and the Committee, at a special meeting, paid homage to the memory of one whose greatness of mind and character caused that memory to become a reality which will ever remain the dearly cherished possession of those privileged to have made his acquaintance. At this special meeting the Chair was taken by the Vice-President, the Rt. Hon. Viscount FitzAlan of Derwent, K.G., who proposed the following Resolution, which was seconded by the Marchese Bernardo Patrizi :—

" The Committee of Management of the Italian Hospital in London desire to place on record their profound grief at the loss the Hospital has sustained by the death of its President, His Excellency Antonio Chiaramonte Bordonaro. During the years His

Excellency was Ambassador in this country he never failed to take the keenest interest in the Hospital, and by constant and persevering efforts he personally took the initiative in organising and carrying out many projects for its improvement and better government. His frequent and many acts of kindness will always be gratefully treasured by all who had the privilege of being associated with him in working for the Hospital.

“ The Committee especially wish most respectfully to approach the bereaved lady, the Donna Diana, and while expressing their tribute of admiration for her illustrious husband, to ask her to accept their heartfelt sympathy and to assure her of their earnest prayers both for him and for herself, that it may please God to strengthen her to bear the heavy burden of this overwhelming sorrow which has so suddenly fallen upon her.”

His Lordship added that of necessity there must be some measure of formality in a resolution such as he had proposed, but it must be regarded as expressing the real grief and sorrow of the Committee. To His Majesty the King of Italy, the Italian Government, to the Marchese Patrizi and all his Italian colleagues in this country, the Committee desire to express their deepest sympathy at the death of one of Italy's most honoured sons.

Your Committee decided to name a bed in memory of the late President. It was agreed that an effort be made to raise 50 guineas annually, and in the event of any excess over the required sum being received in any given year, such balance be carried forward to the ensuing year. Accordingly, as £126 8s. 0d. was subscribed during 1932, the instalment of £52 10s. 0d. having been paid, £73 18s. 0d. was carried forward to 1933. An earnest appeal is hereby made to all friends of the late Signor Bordonaro for assistance in the upkeep of this memorial to the Hospital's much-lamented late President, and large or small contributions will be most gratefully acknowledged by the Committee. As an additional mark of their esteem the Committee also agreed to perpetuate the memory of their late President by the display of a suitable plaque in the Entrance Hall of the Hospital.

Consequent upon the death of the President, the Hospital suffered the loss of the Chairman of the Ladies' Committee by the departure from this country of the former Ambassadors, the Donna Diana Chiaramonte Bordonaro. Under the circumstances, it was decided that the Ladies' Committee be dissolved.

Your Committee also regret to report that the late Hon. Senior Anæsthetist, Cav. Hugh R. Phillips, J.P., M.D., passed away in June last. He had faithfully served the Hospital since 1902, when it was considered the increasing surgical work demanded the appointment of a second Anæsthetist. In the year 1920 H.M. the King of Italy was graciously pleased to confer upon Dr. Phillips the decoration of Cavalier of the Crown of Italy. The vacancy thus created was filled by promotion, and Dr. G. Hochschild was appointed second Hon. Assistant Anæsthetist.

The Annual Court of Governors was held on Wednesday, May 25th, and presided over by the late Ambassador. This proved to be the last time that the Hospital was to be honoured by the attendance of its late President, whom the Governors then entrusted to appoint two Members to serve upon the Committee of Management to replace the two Members retiring in accordance with Rule No. 13. Further details of the proceedings of this Court are published on page no 50.

Comm.re Col. G. Mameli, then Italian Chargé d'Affaires, took the Chair in place of the late President at a meeting of the Committee of Management held on June 15th, and suggested the re-election for the ensuing year of the Marchese Bernardo Patrizi as Chairman, and Capt. Edward Last-Smith as Vice-Chairman. This course was unanimously adopted. He then proposed that the vacancies caused by the retiring members (Comm.re Adriano Dingli and Dott. Riccardo Granata) be filled by the election of :—

The Lady Howard of Penrith.

Comm.re Dott. J. Nathan.

Colonel Mameli added that "such elections will not only secure for the Hospital two highly qualified members

to serve upon the Committee, but will be the first step in carrying out the wish expressed by the late Ambassador that there should be a closer cooperation between the Hospital and Benevolent Society." The proposal was also passed unanimously.

Your Committee desire to record with profound appreciation that His Excellency the Royal Italian Ambassador, Signor Dino Grandi, on his appointment to the Court of St. James, was pleased to accept the Presidency of the Hospital in succession to the late Ambassador.

Before the close of the year the resignations from the Committee of Cav. Uff. Roberto R. Calburn, and Comm.re A. Joel were received and accepted with regret. Comm.re Dott. Carlo Camagna (Secretary of the Italian Fascio di Londra), Cav. B. Calderoni (President of the Italian Co-operative Club), and Cav. F. Hornyik (retired Hospital Secretary) were given seats. Cav. F. Hornyik was also appointed Honorary Secretary in recognition of his faithful service to the Hospital since 1899, both during his long period of office as Secretary and since his retirement. The Honorary Secretaryship is no sinecure, and Cav. Hornyik's wide administrative experience must prove of immense value.

Cav. R. Vicchi Borghesi, M.D., D.P.H., was again re-appointed Hon. Surgical Registrar for a period of twelve months from January 1st. 1933.

On Thursday, July 14th, Mr. Zachary Cope, F.R.C.S., accompanied by Capt. Ellis Nuttall, visited the Hospital for the second consecutive year as Representative of King Edward's Hospital Fund for London. The visitors, who expressed their satisfaction upon learning of the pending arrangements for establishment repairs and redecorations, were met by the Chairman, the Marchese Patrizi, and Cav. R. Vicchi Borghesi, M.D.

After careful deliberations with Comm.re Dott. Carlo Camagna, your Committee arranged to afford facilities to the Italian Fascio di Londra for the conducting at the Hospital of a Free Fascist Clinic for Italian

Children. It was agreed, *inter alia*, that one day weekly the entire Out-patient accommodation be placed at their disposal, and that the services of a Dispenser, Nurse, and Registration Officer be provided. The Fascio intended to inaugurate this Clinic in the New Year.

The Lady Almoner and Registration Officer, Mrs. Raymond Morgan, A.C.C.S., resigned in November upon her appointment as Lady Almoner to the Hospital of St. John and St. Elizabeth. The vacancy was filled by the appointment of Signorina Maria Reghenzani, who had been connected with the Hospital for the past two and a half years.

The Committee desire to record their deep gratitude to the Baron Albert Profumo, K.C., for the most liberal help he gave during the year, including the sum of £1,000 for the purpose of the endowment of a bed in memory of his father; to Signor Emilio Scala for kindly donating £250; to the Provincial Cinematograph Theatres, Ltd., for £197 10s. from the proceeds of Sunday performances at the Palace Cinema, Kentish Town; to the Trustees of Smith's (Kensington Estate) Charities for £100; to the Italian Co-operative Club for £60; to the Metropolitan Electric Supply Co., Ltd., for £52 10s.; and to Signora R. Allatini and to the Trustees of the Delmar Charitable Trust for their contributions of £25. The latter was received through the Vice-Chairman, Capt. Edward Last-Smith.

The following kindly assisted the Hospital by promoting entertainments, and the Committee extend to them their sincere appreciation:—

Sig. Emilio Scala and his Committee, Ball at the Royal Horticultural Hall, Westminster, £131 4s. 5d.

Mrs. J. H. Craig, assisted by the Ladies' Committee, Supper-Dance at Knightsbridge Hotel, £112 1s. 8d.

Sig. N. Cavalli and Fratelli Micotti, Italo-Inglese Boxing Contest at Blackfriars Ring (half proceeds), £46 10s. 8d.

Associazione Nazionale Alpina, Part proceeds of Supper Dance, £15 5s. 2d.

Sig. G. Ferrari and Staff of Gennaro's Restaurant, Ball, £11 7s. 9d.

In thanking all donors of gifts in kind (a complete schedule of which appears on page No. 67) **special** acknowledgment must be made of the generosity of Comm. re Piero M. Salerni, who supplied the Hospital with coke, of the continued help of Fratelli U. e V. Sanseverino in supplying foodstuffs, and of the continued interest of the Valentino Association, whose entertainments and gifts to patients and staff were greatly appreciated.

Once again the Committee must express their sincere thanks for the professional services of the Honorary Medical Staff, and of the Sisters of the Community of St. Vincent de Paul for their loving care of the inmates (and would especially acknowledge the signal services of Sister Dispenser and Sister Housekeeper in helping to reduce expenditure to a minimum compatible with efficiency.) Sincere thanks are also tendered to the Honorary Solicitors (Messrs. Francis Miller & Steele), and to the Auditor, R. Freame Baker, Esq., F.C.A. Special gratitude is also due and hereby offered to the Italian and British Press (special recognition being given to "l'Italia Nostra"), and to all contributors and friends who have shown innumerable kindnesses, of which individual mention would be impossible.

Finally, the Committee wish to place on record their great appreciation of the services of their Secretary, Mr. E. R. Hanchet, who has worked so hard during the year to ensure the success of the Hospital.

Before concluding this Report, the Committee desire briefly to dwell upon the outlook for the year 1933, and it is a lamentable fact that an investigation of the budget cannot be made without considerable apprehension and anxiety. It is estimated that a full year's working without impediment in any department will cost £7,600, whereas it is observed that ordinary income during the year under review produced almost £1,000 less than the amount which will be required. In addition, money is urgently required to provide a much-needed bathroom for the use of the four Private Patients' Rooms. The gravity of the situation is only too palpable when with

an estimated deficit of £1,300 and an oppressive debt of £3,700, further encroachment on the Hospital's small reserves would be calamitous. Not unmindful of the present day financial stress, nor of the unattractive picture they have been compelled to present, your Committee are nevertheless convinced that by concerted efforts of Governors, subscribers and friends to give practical expression of that sympathy which is within their hearts, the Hospital's international healing hand shall not fail to reach out to the sons and daughters of all nations, many of whom may stand upon the very brink of the abyss of some incurable complaint.

Surely the true philanthropy of the Italian Hospital will receive from the Great Father of mankind His blessing and protection in the future.

By Order of the Committee of Management,

ERNEST R. HANCHET,

Secretary.

7th April, 1933.

OSPEDALE ITALIANO

RELAZIONE DEL CONSIGLIO DI AMMINISTRAZIONE *per l'anno 1932*

Durante il corso dell'anno alcuni restauri e una completa ridecorazione dell'Ospedale, sui quali si riferirà poi in dettaglio, vennero eseguiti. L'esecuzione di questi lavori naturalmente ridusse la disponibilità di locali nelle corsie e nell'Ambulatorio, e per quanto nessuno dei reparti sia stato chiuso, il numero dei pazienti assistiti si è ridotto come risulta dalle seguenti cifre :

	1931.	1932.
No. degli ammalati ammessi ...	662	547
No. di nuovi pazienti d'Ambulatorio	3.876	3.007
No. delle visite d'Ambulatorio ...	13.690	12.125

Bisogna osservare però che da qualche tempo a questa parte il numero di coloro che si rivolgono all'Istituto per essere curati è in aumento, come è in notevole aumento il numero degli Italiani che essendo ammalati desiderano di usufruire dell'Ospedale. Questo dato di fatto è tanto più significativo, in quanto la Colonia Italiana di Londra è senza dubbio in via di progressiva diminuzione. Il Consiglio ritiene che questa sia una prova evidente della crescente popolarità dell'Istituto, e vuol augurarsi che esso abbia trovato il suo vero posto nel cuore di coloro pei quali, principalmente è stato fondato.

Il complemento letti rimase invariato, 42, per quanto il numero di letti disponibili fu di 38, e la media di quelli occupati 30,6, rispetto a 33 per l'anno precedente.

Prima di esaminare le diversi voci del Bilancio, il vostro Consiglio desidera esprimere la sua profonda gratitudine ai molti amici dell'Ospedale, per il generoso e leale aiuto dato. Malgrado l'inasprirsi della crisi mondiale la generosità dei Governatori e dei sottoscrittori ha più che giustificato l'opinione espressa dal Consiglio in merito alla impossibilità di ulteriori riduzioni e economie che avrebbero potuto solamente apportarsi a scapito dell'efficienza dell'Istituto.

E prevedibile però che nel 1933, con l'entrata in funzione di tutti i letti disponibili e il completo funzionamento di tutti gli altri reparti, si avrà un considerevole aumento di spesa a causa della maggiore attività. Il Consiglio deve perciò richiamare l'attenzione di tutti sull'assoluta necessità di cercare nuovi e maggiori contributi.

La seguente tabella mostra le principali entrate per l'anno 1932, rispetto a quelli del 1931 :—

	1931.	1932.	
Sottoscrizioni annuali	£397	£405	+ £8
Donazioni e Cassette	1.633	1.801	+ 167
Fondi Centrali ...	575	610	+ 35
Ammalati e loro Società	1.867	1.916	+ 49
Interessi e Dividendi	1.259	1.329	+ 70
Lasciti	1.164	5	— £1.159

Il maggior numero di pazienti privati assistiti ha prodotto un'aumento nelle entrate per servizi resi, mentre il solo lascito ricevuto fu di £5.0.0. dagli esecutori della Fu Signora Johanno Reardon.

Nelle uscite si riscontrano diminuzioni nelle principali voci corrispondenti alla ridotta attività in seguito ai lavori di restauro, i quali viceversa hanno provocato un'aumento molto ragguardevole nella voce " Rinnuovi e Riparazioni al Fabbricato ed Annessi " la cui spesa è stata di Lst. 1,385. 16. 10. che si deve esaminare nel suo dettaglio.

Da anni era noto al vostro Consiglio che le condizioni di pulizia dell'Ospedale lasciavano a desiderare, ciò che certamente non giovava a coloro che cercavano conforto fra le sue mura. Non fu certa l'indifferenza dei dirigenti ma la mancanza di fondi insufficienti perfino, a far fronte alle spese

ordinarie, che impedì di rimediare prima di ora a questo infelice stato di cose. Si può dire senza esagerazione che alcune parti non erano state mai ridipinte dalla fondazione dell'Ospedale e a forza di lavare le pareti, erano scomparse tutte le tracce di vernice. Perciò, nel corso dell'anno, il Consiglio si trovò diannanzi al grave rischio di un rapido deterioramento del fabbricato anche per danni riscontrati nel tetto, e per difetti dell'impianto elettrico e di riscaldamento, essendo ancora in uso una caldaia installata oltre 30 anni fa. S'imponeva perciò un provvedimento immediato, non solo perchè in tali condizioni l'efficienza stessa dell'Istituto era in pericolo, ma anche perchè secondo l'opinione dell'Architetto qualsiasi ulteriore ritardo avrebbe importato indefinitiva una spesa maggiore. La spesa per questi lavori venne preventivata dall'Architetto a oltre mille sterline, che non erano disponibili. Di fronte a questo dilemma, il Consiglio non ha potuto far altro che chiedere in prestito ai " Trustees " mille sterline che essendo state accordate hanno portato il debito dell'Ospedale alla cifra di Lst. 3,700. Questa soluzione del problema è stata adottata dal Consiglio, con grande riluttanza ed è sperabile che i Governatori e gli Oblatori si sentiranno da questo spinti a mettersi in nobile gara per permetterci di regolare questo debito di Lst. 3,700 che è particolarmente oneroso per un'Istituto che, come il nostro, dispone di capitali propri così limitati. Le principali voci di questa spesa sono :—

Verniciatura e decorazioni	...	...	£872.	2.	6.
Riparazioni e rinnovi impianto elettrico			271.	3.	4.
Caldaia di riscaldamento (nuova)	...		93.	0.	0.
Nuovo Tetto	...	...	45.	0.	0.

Bisogna osservare però che malgrado l'obbligo secondo il regolamento del King Edward's Hospital Fund for London d'includere queste spese di carattere straordinario nelle spese ordinarie anzichè in conto capitale è chiaro che siffatti ingenti esborsi non solo non si renderanno più necessari per parecchi anni, ma ci consentiranno nei prossimi esercizi un notevole risparmio nella spesa di manutenzione.

Inoltre il Consiglio desidera far presente che, malgrado l'assoluta necessità, questa spesa non avrebbe potuto essere neanche deliberata se non per il fatto che, mentre a causa del prestito anzidetto il portafoglio titoli in " Conto Spese Generali " si è ridotto di 1000 sterline, d'altra parte quello

in conto “ Dotazioni dell'Ospedale ” si è accresciuto di una somma corrispondente, grazie alla generosità del Barone Alberto Profumo che volle in tal modo dedicare un letto alla memoria del compianto suo Padre.

In Consiglio ringrazia cordialmente il Signor A. Burnett Brown, F.S.I., F.R.I.B.A., che ha gentilmente accettato l'invito di prestare i suoi servizi a favore dell'Ospedale come Architetto Onorario, e ha pertanto fissato i preventivi ed esercitato la sua personale sorveglianza sui lavori sopramenzionati. Desidera inoltre rendere pubblicamente un tributo alla generosità del Cav. Costantino Secchi che ancora una volta è venuto in aiuto dell'Istituto, fornendo e installando una nuova caldaia per riscaldamento a un prezzo notevolmente ridotto.

Per quanto le cifre del Bilancio mostrino un disavanzo di Lst. 1.128. 5. 1. non si può dire che vi sia stato alcuno sperpero e possiamo assicurarvi che durante tutto l'anno è stata esercitata la più rigida economia nelle spese.

Due sono le difficoltà da affrontare se si vuole dare una prova statistica dell'efficienza amministrativa dell'Ospedale. Primo, la forzata limitazione alle attività dell'Istituto, e la conseguente contrazione degli ammalati assistiti, che aumenta il costo “ per individuo perchè le spese generali rimangono pressochè costanti. Secondo, la forte spesa per i restauri, rende inutile per calcoli comparativi la voce “ Stabilimento.”

La prima difficoltà non è superabile, ma la seconda è rimediabile confrontando i costi statistici considerati nei seguenti calcoli in cui si tiene conto solamente delle spese complessive, deducendo le due voci “ Fabbriato e Finanza ” su queste basi si potrà rilevare che l'economia ottenuta è tutt'altro che trascurabile.

Pazienti Interni

a) Media settimanale “ relativa ” costo per						
paziente 1931	...	...	...	...	3.	8. 2½
a) Media settimanale “ relativa ” costo per						
paziente 1932	...	...	...	...	3.	7. 0½
					Risparmio	1. 2.

Ammalati d'Ambulatorio

b) Media “ relativa ” costo per visita	1931	0.	1.	0.1
id	id 1932	0.	1.	0.27
	Aumento	0.	0.	0.17

Ossia nel totale

a) 1602 settimane di degenza nelle sale a				
1,2d. di risparmio	=	93.	9.	0.
b) 12,125 visite d'Ambulatorio a 0.17 pence				
di aumento	=	8.	11.	9 $\frac{1}{4}$
Economie totali “ relative ”	£84.	17.	2 $\frac{3}{4}$	

La situazione finanziaria internazionale indusse il Consiglio a effettuare alcuni cambiamenti nel portafoglio titoli. Furono così venduti i seguenti titoli

Lit. 462.000 Prestito Italiano Consolidato 5%
 Lit. 17.400 Rendita Italiana 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ %
 £ 6.920 (335 azioni) Ferrovie Meridionali
 £ 2.600 Queensland Government 3 $\frac{3}{4}$ %.

Dalle vendite furono realizzate £9.054. 9. 2. da cui furono dedotte le £1,000 trasferite come già detto ai fondi generali per restauri. Il saldo di £8.054. 9. 2. accresciuto delle £1,000 offerte per dotazione del letto Profumo, di £318. 11. 1. entrate in corrispettivo di titoli estratti e rimborsati, e £25. 12. 9. ricevute come premio di conversione di “ War Loan 5% ” ha fornito una disponibilità liquida per complessive £9,398 13. 2. che sono state impiegate come segue:—

£13,000. 0. 0. Ferrovie Maremmane				
5% at 66 5/13	£8,663.	9.	0.	
£682. 4. 8. India 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ % Stock 1950/				
55 at 107	735.	4.	2.	
	£9,398.	13.	2.	

Si ritiene che questi nuovi titoli rappresenteranno reddito annuo di circa £550 contro £443 che fruttavano i titoli venduti.

E interessante inoltre osservare che al 31 Dicembre la quotazioni di mercato dei nuovi titoli rappresentavano un valore di £10,745. 4. 2. con un riporto attivo di £1,346. 11. 0.

L'8 Giugno 1932 l'Ospedale dovette sostenere una tragica perdita con la morte improvvisa del suo amato Presidente, S.E. Antonio Chiaramonte Bordonaro, Regio Ambasciatore d'Italia. Il suo infaticabile interesse per l'attività dell'Ospedale e la continua appassionata attenzione che dedicava anche ai minimi particolari erano inuguagliabili, ed il Consiglio in una adunanza straordinaria rese omaggio alla memoria di colui, la cui grandezza di mente e di cuore fu tale da far sì che essa rimarrà per sempre geloso possesso dei privilegiati che lo conoscevano.

Questa adunanza straordinaria fu presieduta dal Vice-Presidente, il Rt. Hon. Visconte FitzAlan of Derwent, K.G. Questi propose, e il Marchese Bernardo Patrizi secondò il seguente voto :

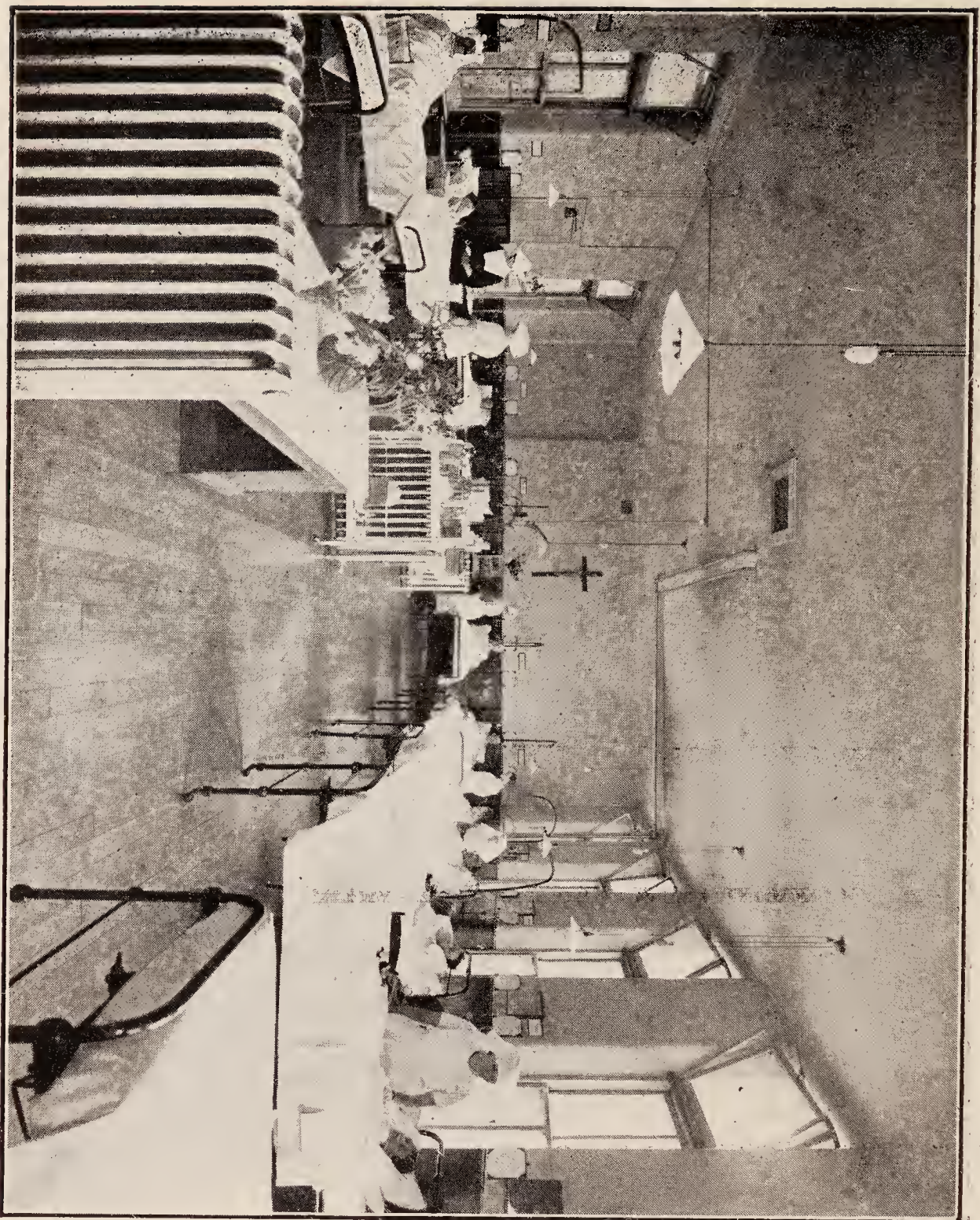
“ Il Consiglio di Amministrazione dell'Ospedale Italiano in Londra vuole che sia ricordata con profonda angoscia la perdita causata all'Ospedale dalla morte di S.E. Antonio Chiaramonte Bordonaro, suo Presidente. Durante gli anni in cui S.E. fu Ambasciatore in questo Paese, egli ebbe sempre il più grande interesse nell'Ospedale, e con costanza e perseveranza prese personalmente l'iniziativa nell'organizzare e definire molti progetti per il miglioramento dell'Ospedale stesso.

I suoi molti e frequenti atti di gentilezza saranno sempre di grata memoria per tutti coloro che ebbero il privilegio di lavorare con lui per l'Ospedale.

Il Consiglio desidera specialmente essere rispettosamente vicino alla sconsolata Signora, Donna Diana, e nell'esprimerle il tributo di ammirazione per l'illustre marito, La prega di accettare le sue sentitissime condoglianze. Le assicura le preghiere più sincere sia per lui che per Lei, perchè voglia Iddio darle la forza di sostenere la così grave perdita che repentinamente è caduta su lei.”



ONE OF THE PRIVATE ROOMS



MEN'S SURGICAL WARD

Lord FitzAlan aggiunse che, per quanto necessariamente formale, la risoluzione da lui proposta deve essere veramente riguardata come espressione del rimpianto sincero del Comitato.

A Sua Maestà il Re d'Italia, al Governo Italiano, al Marchese Patrizi ed ai suoi colleghi Italiani in questo Paese, il Comitato desidera esprimere le sue profonde condoglianze per la perdita di uno dei più onorevoli figli d'Italia.

Il Consiglio desirò di dotare un letto alla memoria del defunto Presidente. Si concordò di fare uno sforzo per raccogliere annualmente 50 ghinee stabilendo che, se il ricavo fosse superiore, si dovesse portare il soprapìù in bilancio per l'anno veniente. Così essendosi ricavate £126. 8. 0. per il 1932, si pagò la somma stabilita di £52. 10. 0. e si riportò al 1933 le rimanenti £73. 18. 0. Un sincero appello è qui fatto a tutti gli amici del fu Signor Bordonaro perchè aiutino a sostenere questa dotazione in memoria dello scomparso. Piccole a grandi somme saranno con gratitudine ricevute dal Consiglio. Come altra prova di stima il Consiglio decise di perpetuare la memoria del Defunto Presidente con lo scoprimento di una lapide marmorea nell'atrio dell'Ospedale.

Come prima conseguenza della morte del Presidente, l'Ospedale ebbe a soffrire anche della perdita della Presidentessa del Comitato Dame, per la partenza dall'Inghilterra della Ambasciatrice, Donna Diana Chiaramonte Bordonaro. Per queste circostanze fu deciso di scogliere il Comitato Dame.

Il Consiglio deve inoltre annunciare con profondo rincrescimento la morte del Senior Anestetista Onorario, Cav. Hugh R. Phillips, avvenuta nello scorso Giugno. Egli serviva fedelmente l'Ospedale dal 1902, quando la sua nomina a Secondo Anestetista si rese necessaria dall'aumentato lavoro chirurgico. Il Dottor Phillips era stato insignito della Croce di Cavaliere della Corona d'Italia nel 1920. La carica venne assegnata per promozione ed il Dr. G. Hochschild fu nominato secondo assistente Anestetista Onorario.

L'Annuale Assemblea dei Governatori ebbe luogo il 25 Maggio presieduta dal compianto Ambasciatore. Questa fu

l'ultima volta in cui l'Ospedale ebbe l'onore della presenza di Sua Eccellenza al quale i Governatori dettero facoltà di nominare due nuovi Membri nel Consiglio Direttivo per rimpiazzare i due membri uscenti secondo il No. 13 del Regolamento. La relazione di questa assemblea è pubblicata a pagina 52

Il Comm. G. Mameli, Regio Incaricato d'Affari, preside all'adunanza del Consiglio Direttivo tenutasi il 15 Giugno, e propose la ri-elezione per il corrente anno del Marchese Bernardo Patrizi a Presidente, e del Cap. Edward Last-Smith, a Vice-Presidente, proposta che venne accettata all'unanimità. Propose inoltre che ai due posti lasciati vacanti dalle dimissioni dei membri Comm. Adriano Dingli e Ing. Riccardo Granata, venissero eletti due nuovi Consiglieri nelle persone di:—

The Lady Howard of Penrith,
Comm. Dott. J. Nathan.

Il Signor Mameli proseguì poi dicendo che “ tali elezioni non solo porteranno nel seno del Consiglio due degni Membri, ma saranno anche il primo passo nella realizzazione di un desiderio espresso dal compianto Ambasciatore, di una maggiore co-operazione tra l'Ospedale e la Società di Beneficenza. Anche questa proposta fu approvata all'unanimità.

Il Consiglio desidera esprimere la Sua profonda gratitudine a S.E. Ambasciatore d'Italia, Signor Dino Grandi, che dopo la sua nomina presso la Corte di San Giacomo, si compiacque di accettare la Presidenza dell'Ospedale.

Prima della fine dell'anno vennero ricevute e accettate con rammarico le dimissioni dal Consiglio del Cav. Uff. Roberto R. Calburn e del Comm. A. Joel. Il Comm. Dott. Carlo Camagna, Segretario del Fascio Italiano di Londra, e il Cav. B. Calderoni, Presidente del Club Cooperative Italiano, ed il Cav. F. Hornyik furono eletti membri del Consiglio. Il Cav. F. Hornyik fu anche nominato Segretario Onorario in riconoscimento dei servizi da lui resi per l'Ospedale sin dal 1899 nella sua qualità di Segretario, e anche dopo il suo ritiro. Il posto di Segretario Onorario non è una sinecura, e la vasta esperienza amministrativa del Cav. Hornyik sarà senza dubbio di immenso aiuto.

Il Cav. R. Vicchi Borghesi, M.D., venne rieletto "Honorary Surgical Registrar" per un periodo di 12 mesi dal 1° Gennaio.

Il 14 Luglio i Rappresentanti del King Edward's Hospital Fund for London, Signor Zachary Cope, F.R.C.S., e Cap. no Ellis Nuttall, visitarono l'Ospedale. Gli illustri ospiti, che furono ricevuti dal Presidente, Marchese Patrizi e dal Cav. R. Vicchi-Borghesi, M.D., espressero la loro soddisfazione per i progettati restauri.

In seguito ad accordi raggiunti con il Comm. Dott. C. Camagna, il Consiglio stabilì di dare il suo appoggio al Fascio Italiano di Londra desideroso di aprire all'Ospedale una Clinica Fascista gratuita per Bambini Italiani. Fu stabilito, fra l'altro che L'Ambulatorio con servizi annessi (Farmacista, Infermiera e Segretaria) venisse messo a completa disposizione della Clinica per un giorno alla settimana. Il Fascio intende inaugurare questa Clinica nell'anno nuovo.

La Lady Almoner e Segretario di Registrazione, Signora Raymond Morgan, A.C.C.S., in seguito alla sua nomina di Lady Almoner dell'Ospedale St. John & St. Elizabeth, rassegnò le sue dimissioni. Al suo posto fu nominata la Signorina Maria Reghenzani già addetta all'Ospedale da due anni e mezzo.

Il Consiglio desidera esprimere la sua profonda gratitudine al Barone Alberto Profumo, K.C., per la grande generosità di cui dette prova durante l'anno per l'elargizione di £1,000 in dotazione di un etto alla memoria del compianto suo padre; al Signor Emilio Scala per la sua generosa donazione di £250; al Provincial Cinematograph Theatres, Ltd., per £197. 10. 0. come percentuale su gli incassi domenicali del Palace Cinema, Kentish Town; ai "Trustees of Smith's (Kensington Estate) Charities," per £100. 0. 0.; al Club Cooperative Italiano, per £60; alla Metropolitan Electric Supply Co., Ltd., per £52. 10. 0.; alla Signora R. Allatini ed ai "Trustees of the Delmar Charitable Trust," per le loro contribuzioni di £25. 0. 0. Quest'ultima fu ricevuta attraverso il Vice-Presidente, Capitano Edward Last-Smith.

I seguenti hanno inoltre aiutato l'Ospedale organizzando feste e divertimenti, ed il Comitato desidera esprimere loro la sua sincera riconoscenza:—

Sig. Emilio Scala e Suo Comitato. Ballo al Royal Horticultural Hall, Westminster	£131. 4. 5.
Signora J. H. Craig e Comitato Ballo al Knightsbridge Hotel	112. 1. 8.
Signori N. Cavalli e Fratelli Micotti, Riunione Pugilistica Italo-Inglese al Ring di Blackfriars (metà-incasso)	46. 10. 8.
Associazione Nazionale Alpini. Rac- colte alla Veglia Verde	15. 4. 2.
Sig. G. Ferrari e al Personale Gen- naro's Restaurant	11. 7. 9.

Nel ringraziare tutti i donatori (un elenco dei quali appare per esteso a pagina No. 67.) bisogna specialmente menzionare la generosità del Comm. Piero M. Salerni che fornì durante l'anno all'Ospedale il carbone necessario; il continuo aiuto dei Fratelli Sanseverino con vivande; l'interesse dell'Associazione Valentino, i cui trattenimenti e regali per i pazienti e per il personale furono molto apprezzati da tutti.

Il Consiglio deve inoltre sinceramente ringraziare i medici e i chirurghi onorari per i loro servizi professionali, e le Suore della Comunità di S. Vincenzo di Paolo per le amorevoli cure agli ammalati. Vuole qui specialmente segnalare la Suora Farmacista e la Suora Cuciniera per il valido aiuto da loro dato per una sempre maggiore economica efficienza dell'Ospedale.

Ringraziamenti sinceri sono anche rivolti agli avvocati onorari "Messrs. Francis, Miller & Steele," e allo "Auditor" R. Freame Baker, Esq., F.C.A., e alla stampa italiana e britannica, in modo particolare all'Italia Nostra, e a tutti i contribuenti ed amici che è impossibile nominare individualmente.

Finalmente il Consiglio desidera esprimere il suo apprezzamento per i servizi resi dal suo Segretario, Signor E. R. Hanchet, che ha assicurato con il suo leale lavoro il successo dell'Istituto durante l'anno.

Prima di finire questo rapporto, il Consiglio desidera accennare brevemente il preventivo per il 1933, esprimendo

il suo rammarico che questo non possa essere preso in esame senza suscitare grave ansietà. Il preventivo per un completo anno lavorativo, senza limitazioni in alcuno dei Reparti, viene fissato a £7,600. 0. 0. mentre le entrate ordinarie durante l'anno 1932 sono state inferiori a questo preventivo di quasi £1.000. Occorre inoltre una forte somma di denaro per completare con una camera da bagno l'istallazione della camere private.

La gravità della situazione finanziaria è evidente quando si pensa che con un debito già esistente di £3,700. 0. 0. un previsto deficit di 1000 sterline ricadrebbe con risultato, senza dubbio catastrofico, sulle piccole riserve dell'Ospedale.

Il Consiglio, consapevole delle condizioni finanziarie di oggi, è per altro convinto che la generosità dei Governatori, Sottoscrittori ed Amici permetterà all'Ospedale di continuare nella sua benefica opera a vantaggio dei sofferenti di ogni paese.

Voglia la Divina Provvidenza continuare a proteggere nella sua caritatevole opera, l'Ospedale Italiano.

D'ordine del Consiglio d'Amministrazione

ERNEST R. HANCHET,
Secretary.

7 Aprile 1933—XI.

Our Work

During a normal year **700** In-patients are treated and there are about **14,000** Out-patient Attendances.

Expensive special Departments are maintained *e.g.* Ear, Nose & Throat, Ophthalmic, Gynaecological, Genito-Urinary, Dental, X-Ray, Electro-Therapeutic and Massage. In addition Pathological and Bio-chemical examinations are undertaken.

In short, the Hospital is competent to give treatments which generally are only obtainable in a large Institution.

Our Need

£7,500 is required annually for this great work. Please help us, and gain the gratitude of some sufferer.

ACCOUNTS, STATISTICAL TABLES,
TABLES OF NATIONALITIES OF
IN-PATIENTS AND OUT-PATIENTS
AND
SUMMARY OF DISEASES TREATED
AND OPERATIONS PERFORMED

1932

INCOME.

£ s. d. £ s. d. £ s. d.

ORDINARY.

I. Voluntary Gifts.

1. Subscriptions and Donations, etc.—

Annual Subscriptions (see page) 405 8 0

Do. (Special Appeal) ...

Italian Government 200 0 0

Swiss Government ... 17 2 6

622 10 5

Donations 1,673 11 11

Do. (Special Appeal) ... 20 2 6

„ Antonio Chiaramonte

Bordonaro Bed Fund 52 10 0

Box Collections 55 14 9

1,801 1 2

Entertainments—Gross Receipts

Less Expenses

Gifts in Kind 145 5 0

Proportion of Receipts of Cinema Performances 197 10 0

2,767 4 8

2. Central Funds—

King Edward's Hospital Fund 350 0 0

Hospital Sunday Fund ... 170 0 0

“ Alexandra Day ” Celebration 90 0 0

610 0 0

II. Receipts on Account of Services Rendered.

1. Contributions on Account of Services to Patients—

(a) From Patients and their Societies—

Patients 1,331 16 5

Contributory Schemes

Hospital Saturday Fund ... 24 2 6

Hospital Savings Association 514 16 9

Approved Societies 45 8 0

1,916 3 8

(b) From Public Authorities

2. Fees—

Nurses' and Probationers' Fees

Other Fees

3. Other Receipts

III. Invested Property.

Interest, Dividends, etc. ... 1,329 16 1

Rents 1,329 16 1

Ordinary Income ... 6,623 4 5

EXTRAORDINARY.

I. Legacies.

Executors of the late Mrs. Johanna Reardon 5 0 0

Extraordinary Income ... 5 0 0

Total Income . £6,628 4 5

Balance, being excess of Total Expenditure over Total Income 1,128 5 1

for the Year ending 31st. December, 1932.

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EXPENDITURE.

£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
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ORDINARY.

I. Provisions.

1,442 6 4

II. Surgery and Dispensary.

1. Drugs, Chemicals, Disinfectants, etc.	246	16	7
2. Dressings, Bandages, etc. ...	...	98	10	11
3. Instruments and Appliances ...	...	319	12	6
4. Wines and Spirits ...	...	17	5	0
5. Salaries and Wages of Dispensing Staff ...	...	26	0	0
6. Sundries ...	...	85	1	9

793 6 9

III. Domestic.

1. Renewal and Repair of Furniture, Bedding, Crockery, etc. ...	...	128	13	10
2. Laundry ...	...	369	0	6
3. Cleaning and Chandlery ...	...	53	0	2
4. Water ...	...	48	6	9
5. Fuel and Lighting ...	...	498	13	2
6. Uniforms ...	...	92	4	5
7. Sundries ...	...	15	0	

1,190 13 10

IV. Salaries and Wages (Maintenance).

1. Medical ...	...	127	13	6
2. Nursing ...	...	575	15	0
3. Other Officers and Employees ...	...	851	3	3
4. Pensions ...	...		

1,554 11 9

V. Miscellaneous.

1. Printing, Stationery, Postages, Telephones, etc. ...	...	100	0	9
2. Advertisements ...	...		
3. Insurance of Buildings, Equipment, Stores, etc. ...	...	50	1	8
4. Garden ...	...		
5. Sundries ...	...	32	0	10

182 3 3

VI. Administration.

1. Salaries ...	...	350	0	0
2. Pensions ...	...	366	5	0
3. Printing, Stationery, Postages, Telephones, etc. ...	...	54	14	11
4. Advertisements ...	...		
5. Law Charges ...	...		
6. Auditors' Fee ...	...	10	10	0
7. Sundries ...	...	38	12	10

820 2 9

5,983 4 8

VII. Establishment.

Renewals and Repairs to Building and Plant ...

1385 16 10

VIII. Finance.

1. Interest ...	...		
2. Appeals ...	...	82	11	4
3. Rent ...	...		
4. Rates and Taxes ...	...	294	16	8

377 8 0

Ordinary Expenditure .. 7,746 9 6

EXTRAORDINARY.

1. Contributions to other Institutions ...	...		
2. Reward for saving life of Hospital Employee ...	...	10	0	0

Extraordinary Expenditure ... 10 0 0

Total Expenditure .. 7,756 9 6

1932.

£48,674 14 5

£48,674 14 5

R. FREAME BAKER

15th March 1933

INVESTMENTS ON CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Held By The Special Trustees, viz;—

The Rt. Hon. Viscount FITZALAN OF DERWENT, K.G., G.C.V.O., D.S.O.
Commendatore Sir STUART COATS, Bt.
Count CAMILLO BORGIA.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
<i>In respect of Hospital Endowments—</i>				Cost		
£2,250 2½% Consols	1,846	15	4	12,782	10	9
£13,080 Italian Maremmana Railway	9,329	7	4			
£2,350/7/6 3½% War Loan,	2,237	6	8			
£994 Consolidated Stock 4%	800	0	0			
£1,900 4% Funding Loan, 1960–90	1,490	17	4			
£3,935/12/11 India 3% Stock	3,172	3	5			
£682/4/8 India 4½% Stock 1950–55	735	4	2			
<i>In respect of General Purposes.</i>						
£1,174/11/8 Bank of England Stock	2,683	8	1	3,413	13	8*
£157/8/5 Conversion Stock 3½%	111	0	6			
£250 Madras & Southern Mahratta Rly. Co., Ltd., 4% Debenture Stock	245	0	0			
£61/3/10 3½% War Loan,	62	6	11			
£3,720 Italian Maremmana Railway.	2,636	10	2			

Held By The Trustees of the Hospital.

£3,000 5% Conversion Loan 1944–64	cost	3,163	8	6†
	Total	£19,359	12	11

* The market value of this item on 31st Dec 1932 was	£7133	0	0
" " " " " "	£3450	0	0
	£10583	0	0

I certify the above to be a correct extract of the books of the Hospital, as on 31st December, 1932.

R. FREAME BAKER, Chartered Accountant
Messrs. Freame Baker & Co., Auditor.
9–15, Oxford Street, W.1.
15th March, 1933.

STATISTICAL TABLES.

As required by King Edwards Hospital Fund for London, the Metropolitan Hospital Sunday, and the Hospital Saturday Fund
Financial Statistics for Year to 31st. December. 1932, compared with those of the previous year.
 I.—IN-PATIENTS. (a) Number of Beds and In-Patients.

1. BEDS :	Numbers in 1932			Numbers in previous year	
(a) Complement at 31st. December	42	42
(b) Average daily complement during the year	42	42
(c) Average daily number closed during the year, owing to :—					
(i) Re-building or Extension Schemes	4	
(ii) Repairs, Re-decoration, Cleaning or Infection		
(iii) Other causes		
(d) Average daily number open during the year	38	42
(e) Average daily number occupied during the year	30-6	33
Number of In-Patients in the Hospital at beginning of year	23	27
(2) " " admitted during year	547	658
(3) " " in the Hospital at the end of the year	23	23
(4) " " Average number of days each Patient was resident	20-5	18-2
(5) *Average number of Patients admitted and discharged during the year who were resident for					
(6) (1) only 1 day	12	14
(1) only 1 day	61	83
(2) 2 and 3 days		

[*Ascertained by dividing the yearly total of daily counts viz. 11,213 by the number of Patients treated to a conclusion, i.e. 2 + 3 — 4]

(b) Annual Expenditure on In-Patients apart from that on Out-Patients: Average Cost of each In-Patient per week ; and Average Cost of each In-Patient.

	1932			Previous Year		
	Expenditure on In-Patients [Pounds only]	Average Cost of each In-Patient per week	Average Total Cost of each In-Patient	Average Cost of each In-Patient per week	Average Total Cost of each In-Patient	
	£	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
1. Provisions (including Board of Officials)	1322	0 16 6½	2 8 3¾	17 6½	2 5 7½	
2. Surgery and Dispensary	626	0 7 9¾	1 2 10½	7 11¼	1 0 7¼	
3. Domestic	1101	0 13 9¼	2 0 3¾	15 8¼	2 0 9	
4. Salaries and Wages (Maintenance)	1395	0 17 5¼	2 11 0	16 7	2 3 1	
5. Miscellaneous	167	0 2 1	0 6 1¼	1 8¼	4 4 5	
6. Administration	752	0 9 4¾	1 7 5¾	8 9¼	1 2 9¾	
Statistical Cost	5363	3 7 0½	9 16 1	3 8 2½	8 17 3½	
7. Establishment: Renewal and Repairs	969	0 12 1¼	1 15 5	1 9	4 4 6¾	
8. Finance	304	0 3 9½	0 11 1½	5 0	12 11¾	
TOTAL COST	6636	4 2 11¼	12 2 7½	3 14 11½	9 14 10	

STATISTICAL TABLES.

Financial Statistics for Year to 31st December, 1932, compared with those of the previous year,
 II.—OUT-PATIENTS.
 (a) Numbers.

	Numbers in 1932				Numbers in previous year	
(1) Total number of new Out-Patients	3876	
(2) Total number of Out-Patient Attendances	13,690	
(A) Number of Patients on books at beginning of the year, if ascertainable		
(B) Number of Casualty Patients included in No. 1 above		
(C) Number of Maternity Patients included in No. 1 above, attended at home	49	
(D) Number of attendances on Maternity Patients included in No. 2 above		

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(b) Annual Expenditure on Out-Patients and Average Cost of each Out-Patient Attendance and of each Out-Patient

1932				Previous Year		
	Expenditure on Out-Patients (Pounds only)	Average Cost of each Out-Patient Attendance	Average Total Cost of each Out-Patient	Average Cost of each Out-Patient Attendance	Average Total Cost of each Out-Patient	
	£	Pence	Pence	Pence	Pence	
1. Provisions (Including Board of Officials)	...	2·37	9·58	2·37	8·36	
2. Surgery and Dispensary	...	3·30	13·33	3·25	11·45	
3. Domestic	...	1·78	7·18	1·75	6·19	
4. Salaries and Wages (Maintenance)	...	3·17	12·77	3·16	11·15	
5. Miscellaneous	...	0·30	1·19	0·26	0·93	
6. Administration	...	1·35	5·43	1·31	4·64	
Statistical Cost	620	12·27	49·48	12·10	42·72	
7. Establishment: Renewal and Repairs	417	8·25	33·28	0·82	2·91	
8. Finance	73	1·45	5·83	1·40	4·96	
TOTAL COST	1110	21·97	88·59	14·32	50·59	

IN-PATIENTS

From 1st January to 31st December 1932.

CASES	SEX		NATIONALITY													
	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	ITALIAN	BRITISH	Belgian	French	German	Greek	Irish	Jewish	Polish	Spanish	Swedish	Swiss	Welsh
Medical ...	99	142	547	255	260	2	3	1	2	3	8	2	1	1	8	1
Surgical ...	149	157														
TOTAL ...	248	299	547	255	260	2	3	1	2	3	8	2	1	1	8	1

OUT-PATIENTS

From 1st January to 31st December, 1932.

CASES	SEX		TOTAL	NATIONALITY															Atten- dances				
	MALE	FEMALE		ITALIAN	BRITISH	Argentinian	Australian	Czecho-Slov'n	Dutch	Egyptian	Finnish	French	German	Greek	Indian	Lithuanian	Polish	Roumanian		Russian	Spanish	Swiss	
Medical ...	540	619	3007	1341	1563	1	1	5	1	9	1	18	6	7	1	1	8	6	22	5	11		
Surgical ...	301	403																					
Throat, Nose and Ear	141	147																					
Eye ...	43	79																					
Dental ...	31	53																					
Casualties ...	37	7																					
Gynæcological		81																					
X-Ray ...	132	102																					
U.V. Light	178	113																					
Total	1403	1604				3007	1341	1563	1	1	5	1	9	1	18	6	7	1	1	8	6	22	5	11

SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS

PERFORMED DURING 1932

1. GENERAL SURGERY

(a)	Appendicectomies	...	...	44		
(b)	Herniotomies	...	...	7		
(c)	Gastric resections	...	...	3		
(d)	Thyroidectomies	...	...	5		
(e)	Laparotomies...	...	...	6	Total	65

2. OBSTETRICAL & GYNAECOLOGICAL

(a)	Caesarian section	...	...	1		
(b)	Dilation and Curettage	...	...	26		
(c)	Hysterectomies	...	...	16		
(d)	Colpo-perineorrhaphies	...	...	4	Total	47

3. EAR, NOSE AND THROAT

(a)	Tonsils and Adenoids	...	...	94		
(b)	Nose Septa, Turbinates and Polypi	...	...	40		
(c)	Mastoids	...	...	5	Total	139

4. GENITO-URINARY SYSTEM

(a)	Nephrectomies...	...	...	4		
(b)	Cystoscopies etc.	...	...	23	Total	27

5. BONES, ARTICULATIONS ... 7 Total 7

6. OPHTHALMIC OPERATIONS ... 3 Total 3

7. MISCELLANEOUS... ... 16 Total 16

Grand Total 304

SUMMARY OF MEDICAL CASES

TREATED DURING 1932.

Pneumonia	...	...	...	...	...	23
Pleurisis	...	...	...	...	...	18
Rheumatism (acute and chronic)				...	...	35
Tuberculosis	....	...	...	...	...	10
Heart Diseases		...	...	...	...	25
Asthma	...	...	...	...	...	7
Nervous Diseases (Chorea etc.)	...			...	...	22
Diabetes	...	...	...	.	...	16
Gastritis (functional)	...		...	...	...	15
Marasma infantum	...		...	...	...	9
Skin Diseases...		...	...	...	...	11
Seniles	...	...	...	...	...	10
Observation (Barium Meals) etc. mainly surgical	...					35
Various	...	...	...	...	...	7
Total						243

G. F. MANZOCCHI, M.D.

House Surgeon.

1st January 1933.

Annual Court of Governors

Held at the Hospital, Wednesday, May 25th, 1932, at 3 p.m.

The Chair was taken by the President, His Excellency the Royal Italian Ambassador, who presided over an assembly of about 40 Governors and Subscribers.

Seven apologies for absence were received.

The President, in proposing the adoption of the Annual Report and Audited Accounts stated that, as he had anticipated, the closing of 15 beds had caused a reduction in the number of In-patients treated during 1931, but the increase in the work of the Out-patient Department proved that the Hospital met a great need. His Excellency pointed out that, compared with the year 1929, the Accounts showed that a saving of almost £3,000 had been achieved, and after having expressed thanks to the organisers of the various entertainments, stated that it was his desire that similar entertainments should be held jointly for the Hospital and the Benevolent Society. The Marchese Bernardo Patrizi in seconding the proposal, having observed that he regretted that it had not been possible to invest the sum of £1,164 13s. 7d. received from legacies, as the financial position of the Hospital made it necessary to utilise this for general purposes, said that over 50 per cent. of the patients treated in the Hospital were British subjects, and that it was obvious that the restrictions at present in force would rapidly reduce the Italian colony in London; therefore, on the grounds of an ever-increasing percentage of British patients, the Italian Hospital must look for an increase in the support already so generously represented by British benevolence.

It was then unanimously resolved that the Report of the Committee of Management and the Audited Accounts for 1931 be adopted.

On the motion by the Rt. Hon. Viscount FitzAlan of Derwent, K.G., seconded by Cav. B. Calderoni, it was unanimously resolved that the dutiful thanks of the Governors be, and are hereby, tendered to the Royal Italian Government for the annual subsidy of £200 to the Hospital.

Comm. Nobile Alessandro de Probizer, Royal Italian Consul-General, proposed, Cav. Andrew S. Currie, M.D., seconded, and it was unanimously resolved that the election of Governors to serve upon the Committee of Management in place of those retiring in accordance with Rule No. 13 be left in the hands of the President.

Votes of thanks were then unanimously recorded to the Governors of King Edward's Hospital Fund for London, the Metropolitan Hospital Sunday Fund, "Alexandra Day" Committee, the Hospital Saturday Fund, the Hospital Saving Association and to the Press (Italian and British).

Sir Aldo Castellani, K.C.M.G., M.D., F.R.C.P., proposed, Captain Edward Last-Smith seconded, and it was unanimously resolved that the dutiful thanks of the Governors be, and are hereby, tendered to His Excellency the Royal Italian Ambassador for the honour of his presence in the Chair on this occasion.

The President having briefly acknowledged this resolution, declared the proceedings closed.

Assemblea Generale dei Governatori

L'Assemblea annuale dei Governatori ebbe luogo all'Ospedale, Mercoledì, 25 Maggio, 1932, alle ore 3.

Il Presidente, S.E. l'Ambasciatore d'Italia, presiedette ad un'assemblea di circa 40 Governatori e Sottoscrittori.

Erano state ricevute sette notificazioni d'impossibilità a presenziare.

Il Presidente, nel sottomettere all'approvazione dell'Assemblea il Rapporto e Bilancio finanziario per il 1931, notò che, come aveva preveduto, la riduzione di quindici letti aveva causato una diminuzione nel numero degli Ammalati Interni curati durante l'anno, ma il crescente lavoro nel Reparto degli Ammalati Esterni provava come l'Ospedale rispondesse ad un bisogno grandemente sentito.

Sua Eccellenza dimostrò che, di fronte al 1929, il Bilancio mostrava un risparmio di quasi Lst. 3,000, e dopo aver ringraziato gli Organizzatori dei vari intrattenimenti a favore dell'Ospedale, espresse il desiderio che questi venissero dati a comune beneficio dell'Ospedale e della Società di Beneficenza. Il Marchese Bernardo Patrizi nell'assecondare la proposta, espresse il suo rammarico per non essere stato possibile d'investire la somma di Lst. 1,164.13.7. ricevuta da legati, avendo la posizione finanziaria dell'Ospedale reso necessario d'utilizzare questa somma per uso generale. Egli richiamò l'attenzione al fatto che più del 50% degli Ammalati curati dall'Ospedale erano Inglesi, e poichè era evidente che le restrizioni attualmente in vigore avrebbero diminuito rapidamente la Colonia Italiana a Londra, e in vista anche della crescente percentuale di ammalati Inglesi, l'Ospedale Italiano dovrebbe cercare d'ottenere un maggiore aiuto dalla già generosa beneficenza Inglese.

Venne quindi fatta la proposta, unanimemente approvata, che il Rapporto del Consiglio d'Amministrazione e Bilancio finanziario per il 1931 venissero adottati.

Il Rt. Hon. Viscount FitzAlan of Derwent, K.G., fece in seguito la proposta, appoggiata dal Cav. B. Calderoni e unanimemente approvata, che i doverosi ringraziamenti dei Governatori dell'Ospedale venissero estesi al R. Governo Italiano per il sussidio annuale di Lst. 200.

Il Comm. Nob. A. de Probizer fece quindi la proposta, appoggiata dal Cav. Andrew S. Currie e unanimemente approvata, che l'elezione dei Governatori dell'Ospedale, entranti a coprire le cariche di quelli ritirantisi secondo la Regola No. 13, venisse lasciata nelle mani del Presidente.

I più vivi ringraziamenti vennero poi unanimemente espressi ai Governatori delle seguenti Istituzioni : King Edward's Hospital Fund for London, the Metropolitan Hospital-Sunday Fund, " Alexandra Day " Committee, the Hospital Saturday Fund, the Hospital Saving Association e alla Stampa italiana e inglese.

Il Senatore Sir Aldo Castellani, K.C.M.G., M.D., F.R.C.P. fece infine la proposta, assecondata dal Cap.no Edward Last-Smith e approvata unanimemente, di porgere i doverosi ringraziamenti dei Governatori a S.E. l'Ambasciatore per l'onore della Sua Presidenza in questa occasione.

Il Presidente dopo un breve cenno di ringraziamento, dichiarò l'Assemblea sciolta.

Privileges of Subscribers and Benefactors.

SUBSCRIBERS of two guineas or more annually for a period of at least five consecutive years shall be Annual Governors, and for every two guineas so subscribed and paid for five consecutive years shall have one vote for the appointment of the Committee of Management but never more than ten votes. All arrears must be paid before the privilege of voting can be exercised.

A donation of, or donations amounting to, Ten guineas either in his own name or that of anonymous friends, shall constitute the Donor a Life-Governor and entitle him to one vote.

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Aldred, The Misses				1 0 0
Amato, Sig. Raffaele	2	0	0	
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Anonymous (per Cav. E. F. Paventa, "A.G.")				2 2 0
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Associazione Nazionale Alpini Sezione della Gran Bretagna	5	5	0	10 0 2
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Avella, Sig. G.	1	1	0	

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Barham, H. Foster, Esq.				0 2 6
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Brocklebank, Mrs. T.	1	0	0			
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Burba, Sig. D.	3	3	0			

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Calburn, Cav. Uff. R. R.	5	0	0			
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Callegari, Sig. A.				0	2	6
Camera di Commercio Italiana				0	10	0
Campolin, Sig. Carlo	2	2	0			
Capella, Sig. G.	...	...	...				0	10	0
Capella, Sig.ra R.	...	...	...				0	10	0
Capra, Sig. Francesco	...	...	...				1	1	0
Cardarelli, Sig. Q.	...	...	...				0	10	0
Cardinale Topham, Sig.ra Ada F. M. (In memory of the late Comm. Gaetano Cardinale)	2	0	0	2	0	0
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Casandri, F. e Gattai V. Sigg.	1	1	0			
Cassa di Risparmio delle Provincie Lombarde				42	3	7
Cassa di Risparmio, Modena (lire 200)	...	...	...				2	17	2
Castelli, Signorina Bianca	...	...	...				0	5	0
Catering Trades Approved Society	8	0	0			
Cattini, Sig. Clemente				0	10	0
Cavadini, Sig. A.	1	1	0			
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Chiesa, Sig. Mario				1	0	0
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Coda, Sig. Mario				0	10	0
Colatto, Sig. E. G.	2	2	0			
Coletta, Sig.ra M.				1	1	0
Colombo, Cav. Prof. E.				15	0	0
Comptoir National d'Escompte de Paris	2	2	0			
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Crosetto, Sig. A.				0	10	0
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De Bais, Sig. Luigi	1	0	0			
De Candolle Mdme Beatrix, (per Sig. C. J. Branchini)				10	10	0
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Ellis, D. Esq.				1	1	0
Elworthy, Dr. R. R.				0	15	0
Enthoven, Miss A.				0	10	6
Ercolani, Sig. A.	1	0	0			
Excelsior Philanthropic Society				3	3	0

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Fagandini, Sig. F.	1	1	0			
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Fasano, Cav. D. (the late)				2	2	0
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Ferraro, Sig. F.				2	2	0
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FitzAlan of Derwent, The Right Hon. Viscount, K.G., G.C.V.O., D.S.O.	5	5	0			
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Gersaglia, Sig. R.				2	2	0
Giacomuzzi, Dott. Ing. Luciano				1	0	0
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Lizier, Sig. G.		1 0 6
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Loggia Italia No. 2687 (Massonica)		10 0 0
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Mariani, Sig. A.	1 1 0	
Mainardi, Sig. Davide	3 3 0	
Maranzana, Avv. G. R.	5 5 0	
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Marchi, Sig. Alberto E.		10 10 0
Marconi, Sig. Alfonso	2 2 0	
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Moschetto, Sig. C.	1	1	0			
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Myddleton, R. E. Esq.				1	0	0

N

Negretti & Zambra, Ditta.	5	5	0			
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Oddenino, Cav. Uff. A.	1	1	0			
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Parravicini, Sig.ra A.	0	10	0			
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Riunion de Gastronomes	...				3	3	0
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Ruocco, Sig. Francesco	...				0	10	0
Romano, Sig. A.	...				2	0	0
Renton, Miss R. M. (V.A.)	...				3	0	0
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Saitta e Gambino, Ditta	...				2	2	0
Sanseverino, Fratelli U. e V.	...	5	5	0			
Santamaria Sig. Pio	...	1	1	0			
Santinelli, Sig. Luigi	...				0	5	0
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Savoy Hotel Ltd., (per Sig. L. Santorelli)				10	0	0
Scala, Sig. Emilio				250	0	0
Schia, Sig. Luigi				0	10	0
Schweizer, Sig. Roberto	2	2	0			
Scotti, Sig. A.				0	10	0
Scribante, Sig. G. B.	1	1	0			
Searle, H. F. Esq.	2	2	0			
Serata Pugilistica Italo-Inglese ...				46	10	8
Serventi, Sig. R.				0	10	6
Siliprandi, Sig. Olympio	1	0	0	0	2	6
Simonelli, Sig. C.	0	10	0			
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Trustees of				100	0	0
Smith, Sir Lindsey, J.P.				3	3	0
Societa per il Progresso degli Operai						
Italiani				10	0	0
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Tedeschi, Sig. L.				1	0	0
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Tolotti, Sig. F. A.	1	10	0			
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W

Wallis, Thomas & Co. Ltd.				1	1	0
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Zavattoni, Sig. E. e Personale di Savoy Hotel Banqueting Department				2	10	0
Zileri, Sig.na A. S.	0	10	0			

Totals	622	10	6	1,673	11	11
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For Contributors to the Special Appeal Fund see page 66

SPECIAL APPEAL FUND

				Annual Subscriptions.	Donations.		
				£ s. d.	£	s.	d.
Aimonda, Sig. S.		1	1	0
Corelli, Sig. C. A. E.		0	5	0
Dell'Amico O. Ditta		1	0	0
London Fruit Exchange Brokers Assn Ltd.					5	5	0
Nathan, Comm. Dr. & Mrs. Joe		5	5	0
Oppenheimer, Albert M. Esq. C.B.E.	...				1	1	0
Pirelli Ltd. Ditta		1	1	0
Robinson, E. & Co. Ltd.		2	2	0
Shenkers Ltd.		0	10	6
Togna, Sig. T. R.		2	2	0
Zombardo, Sig. N. M.		0	10	0
					£20	2	6

GIFTS IN KIND (Continued)

				Books, Magazines, etc.	Tin- foil, etc.	Pro- visions etc.	Hardware. Crocery, Etc	Other Gifts
Ronco, Cav. Uff. F.						*
Royalty Theatre						*
Reynold, Miss			*			
Ricknitzer, Miss. F.	*					
Spear, Mrs. C. O.				*		
Secchi, Cav. C.			*			
Spetia di Radione, Contessa	*					
Sanseverino, Fratelli U. & V.				*	*	
Salerni, Comm. Piero M.						*
Savoy Hotel, Ltd.					*	
Savoy Theatre						*
Trivelli, Sig. I.			*			
Truelove & Hansom, Messrs.						
Valentino Association	*		*	*		*
Warrington, Miss	*					
Whitham, Mrs.						*
Wingate Render, Miss	*					

GIFTS IN KIND

			Books, Magazines, etc.	Tin- foil, etc.	Pro- visions, etc.	Hardware, Crocery, etc.	Other Gifts.
Allatini, Sig.ra R.			*		
Berkeley Hotel				*	
Barry, Miss Isabel					*
British Broadcasting Corporation							*
Blue Peter Publishing Co. Ltd.			*				
Briggs, Miss	*				
Bright, Harold Esq.	*				
Branson, Miss	*				
Coin de France, Ltd.	*				
Calzitta, Sig.ra A.			*		*
Claridge's Hotel, Ltd.				*	
Cafe de Paris (per Cav. F. Stocco)						*	
Cross, Miss K.	*				
Campbell, Monsieur	*				
Clerici Fabbriche Italiane di							
Seteria Ditta					*
Drury Lane Theatre					*
Duchess Theatre					*
Fraser Oldfield, Mrs.			*		
Gimpel, Mrs. R. C.	*				
Glenwalker, Miss R.	*				
Gallic Trading Co. Ltd.		*			
Hartley, Wm. P. Ltd.			*		
Haymarket Theatre					*
Henderson Miss Frances	*				
Henley, The Dowager Lady			*				
Henderson, Miss M.	*				
Hudson, Mrs. R. Vaughan					*
Isola Bella Restaurant					*
Kochley, Miss H.					*
Kit-Cat Restaurant		*			
Kingsway Fruit Stores			*		*
London Hippodrome					*
Last-Smith, Capt. Edward		*			
Lorenzi, Sig. M.	*				
Lyric Theatre					*
Lyons, Miss Frances	*				
Millesimo, Sig. A.	*				
McKnight, Miss V.					*
Minciullo, Santi Sig.			*		
Malandrone, Sig.		*			
Noyes, Mrs. N. O.	*				
Naas, Miss Mahel	*				
"News-Chronicle"	*				
Oliver, Miss Rosetta					*
Proctor, Miss Jean			*		*
Ponte di Pino, Sig.ra E.		*			*
Puritz, Sig. M.					*

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CONTRIBUTIONS

	£	s.	d.
Allatini, Sig.ra R.	1	0	0
Blackman, Dr. Sidney	1	0	0
Chamberlin, Mr, & Mrs.	1	0	0
Franklin, Philip Esq. <i>F.R.C.S.</i>	1	0	0
Hudson, R. Vaughan, Esq. <i>F.R.C.S.</i>	1	1	0
Smith, Sir Lindsay, <i>J. P.</i>	1	0	0
	<u>£6</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>0</u>

GIFTS

Arding & Hobbs Ltd.	Toys and Games
Bai, Sig. Giuseppe e Sig.ra	Crate of Wine
Branchini, Cav. Uff. G.	Two Turkeys
Cossavella. Fratelli Ditta	Two large Cakes
Claridges Hotel	Fruit
Catzetti, Sig.ra A.	do.
Fascio Italiano di Londra	Turkey
Hovell Son & Co., Messrs.	Christmas Crackers
Kingsway Fruit Stores	Fruit
Matthews, Miss	Doll
Meschini, Sig. A. e Sig.ra L.	Two Turkeys
Micotti, Fratelli E. & P.	Turkey
Parmigiani, Sig. M.	Turkey, Confectionery etc.
Prideaux, G. & I. Ltd.	Cream
Percival, I. F. Ltd.	Two Trays of Muscatels
Proctor, Miss Jean	Fruit. Toys & Cigarettes
Pinoli's Restaurant	Two Turkeys, Wines and Spirits
Rena. Commre. V.	Turkey
Rampagni, Cav. Uff. Dott. C.	Wine
Sanseverino Fratelli U. & V.	Anelotti
Spetia di Radione Contessa	Cigarettes
Tony Restaurant	Fruit
Valentino Association	Presents for Patients & Staff
Wilde, Geo. A. Esq. ('Daily Sketch' Fund)	Toys and Games

Do not forget those who are unable to be in their own family circle at Christmastide. You can make this festive Season brighter for both Patients and Staff by sending a donation or gift to the Matron.

Recovery of Income Tax on Annual Subscriptions.

You can increase your Annual Subscription without any additional cost to yourself if you are willing to commit yourself under a simple form of Deed to a yearly contribution for any period of more than six years.

By executing a Deed of Gift similar to the form below, you would enable the Hospital to claim from the Inland Revenue authorities the income tax payable on the amount of your Subscription. Therefore, the Hospital would benefit by the subscription plus income tax returned by the Revenue Authorities, and you would appear in the annual report as a subscriber of the total sum.

For instance, a Subscriber who covenanted to pay £1 1. 0. annually out of his taxed income would enable the Hospital to claim 7/- from the Inland Revenue each year, and accordingly the subscription would appear in the annual report as £1 8. 0. Similarly £5 5. 0. would appear as £7 0. 0.

This Deed of Covenant made the day of
between of (hereinafter called
“ The Subscriber ”) and the Italian Hospital whose office is situate at
Queen Square, London, W.C.1 (hereinafter called “ Hospital ”) of the
other part.

Whereas the Subscriber is desirous of binding himself to support the Hospital and its work by entering into the Covenant hereinafter contained. Now this Deed witnesseth as follows:—

The Subscriber hereby covenants with the Hospital that he will during the term of seven years from the 6th April, 19 , or during his lifetime (whichever is the shorter period) pay to the Funds of the Hospital annually from his taxed income the sum of £ less income tax so long as income tax remains at its present rate of four shillings in the pound and if and when the rate of income tax is altered then such other sum as will after deduction of Income Tax at the rate current at the date of payment leave to the Hospital a net sum of £ . The first annual payment to be made on the day of 19 and subsequent annual payments to be made on the day of each year.

In witness whereof the Subscriber hath hereunto set his hand and seal the day and year first above written.

Signed, sealed and delivered by the said _____ in the }
presence of _____ }

Please ask the Secretary for further information or to prepare a
Decd

ENDOWED BEDS

“ King Humbert ” Memorial Bed.

Endowed with a sum of £1,000, collected chiefly in the City of London, in Memory of His late Majesty King Humbert, first Patron of the Hospital—1901

“ Queen Elena ” Bed.

Endowed with a gift of £1,000 from his Majesty the King of Italy on occasion of the Royal Visit to England, November 1903

The “ Pritchard-Rayner ” Bed.

Endowed with a gift of £1,000 from the late Mrs. S. M. Pritchard Rayner in Memory of her two sons George and Charles, R.I.P.—1909

“ Endowed by an English Friend ” —1911

Endowed with a gift of £1,000 sent anonymously on the occasion of the opening of the “Queen Elena” Block.

The “ Polenghi ” Bed—1917

Endowed with a gift of £1,000 by Comm. P. Polenghi in Memory of his Wife,

The Allied War Bed—1919.

“THE ITALIAN BED.”

Endowed with a gift of £1,000 by the Banca Commerciale Italiana.

The “ Mariano Cerasoli ” Bed—1919

Endowed with a gift of £500 by Signa. Rosina Cerasoli in Memory of her Father.

“ Un ex-Cameriere Riconoscente ” Bed—1921.

Endowed with a gift of £1,000 from an “Ex-Waiter” as a mark of gratitude.

(Per the late Comm. F. Melandri, O.B.E., M.D., M.R.C.P.)

The “ S. M. Pritchard-Rayner ” Bed—1923.

Endowed with a gift of £1,000 by the late Mrs S. M. Pritchard-Rayner.

“ Loggia Leonardo da Vinci ” Bed 1930

Endowed with a gift of £541 and the promise to maintain the Bed until £1,000 has been given.

The “ Profumo ” Bed

Endowed with a gift of £1,000 collected by The Baron Albert
Profumo, K.C. in Memory of his Father.

The “ Bordonaro ” Bed

Maintained by Friends of the Late Royal Italian Ambassador
Late President of the Hospital

Legacies Received.

						£	s.	d.
1891	Mrs. Louisa McKellar	...	...	...	...	150	0	0
1894	John Steven Schilizzi, Esq., for himself and on behalf of his brother, Mr. Paul Stephen Schilizzi, of Constanti- nople, in memoriam of their brother Demetrius	...	...	...	...	100	0	0
1895	Comm. Henry Murnley Heath	...	...	...	...	100	0	0
1896	Anselmo Bianconi, Esq.	...	...	...	...	20	0	0
1897	Benjamin, Percy, Esq.	...	...	...	...	400	0	0
	Charles Sperati, Esq., in affectionate remembrance of his brother, Comm. A. Sperati...	...	...	...	...	52	10	0
	Miss Clara Ortelli	...	...	...	...	100	0	0
1898	G. Silvani, Esq.	...	...	...	...	1,500	0	0
1900	Charles Sperati, Esq.	...	...	...	...	100	0	0
1902	G. Silvani, Esq. (balance)	...	...	...	...	152	5	0
1909	Commre. G. Buzzegoli	...	...	...	...	20	0	2
1911	Mrs. Maggi	...	...	...	...	935	12	0
1911-2	F. Rolandi, Esq.	...	...	...	...	12,000	0	0
1912	Cav. L. Azario	...	...	...	...	180	0	0
1913	Sigra. Angiola Ortelli	...	...	...	...	10,000	0	3
	F. Rolandi, Esq. (balance)	...	...	...	...	1,571	17	0
	Sir Julius Wernher	...	...	...	...	250	0	6
	Sig. Bauer	...	...	...	...	40	17	0
	Sig. Nardi	...	...	...	...	20	0	0
914	Sig. Tivoli	...	...	...	...	100	0	0
	Sig. Negri	...	...	...	...	79	2	11
1915	W. Edgar Allen, Esq.	...	...	...	...	500	0	0
	Mrs. Hercy	...	...	...	...	27	0	0
	Mrs. Primavesi	...	...	...	...	250	0	0
1916	Mrs. Amelia Curtis	...	...	...	...	200	0	0
	Mrs. F. E. De Zuccato	...	...	...	...	120	0	0
1917	Mrs. Harrall	...	...	...	...	25	0	0
	L. Salomons, Esq.	...	...	...	...	250	0	0
1918	Commre. L. Pavia	...	...	...	...	50	0	0
	Mrs. Curtis (on account)	...	...	...	...	530	0	0
	Mrs. R. de Benitua (on account)	...	...	...	...	800	0	0
1919	Mrs. Curtis (balance)	...	...	...	...	270	0	0
1920	C. A. Heimann, Esq.	...	...	...	...	500	0	0
1922	Miss E. M. Lang	...	...	...	...	100	0	0
	Sig. B. Nattali	...	...	...	...	161	17	2
1924	Mrs. R. de Benitua (balance)	...	...	...	...	14	4	4
	A. D. Serena, Esq. (on account)	...	...	...	...	1,000	0	0
	A. Guggenheim, Esq.	...	...	...	...	100	0	0
1925	A. D. Serena, Esq. (on account)	...	...	...	...	500	0	0
	Mrs. S. M. Pritchard-Rayner (on account)	...	...	...	...	660	0	0
	George MacBain, Esq.	...	...	...	...	250	0	0
	F. Charlton, Esq.	...	...	...	...	45	0	0
	L. Comitti, Esq.	...	...	...	...	50	0	0
1926	Miss Caterina Owers	...	...	...	...	90	0	0

Legacies Received (continued)

				£	s.	d.
1927	Mrs. S. M. Pritchard-Rayner (on account)	...	...	250	0	0
	A. D. Serena, Esq. (on account)	...	...	550	0	0
1928	Miss E. J. Barling (on account)	...	...	1,250	0	0
	Mrs. Pritchard Rayner (on account)	...	...	650	0	0
1929	Mrs. Pritchard Rayner (on account)	...	...	1,000	0	0
	A. D. Serena, Esq. (on account)...	...	...	420	1	7
	Mdme. de Angeli ... ..	...	...	100	0	0
1930	Mrs. Pritchard Rayner (on account)	...	...	400	0	0
	Mrs. Mary Louisa Huxley ...	...	...	4,238	2	0
	Miss E. J. Barling (on account)...	...	...	1,000	0	0
1931	Mrs. Pritchard Rayner (balance)	...	...	172	11	2
	Contessa Evelyn Martinengo Cesaresco ...	...	...	100	0	0
	Miss E. J. Barling (balance) ...	...	...	882	2	0
	Miss Florence Adelaide Railton ...	...	...	10	0	0
1932	Mrs. Johanna Reardon ... ..	...	...	5	0	0

FORM OF BEQUEST OF A LEGACY.

To those benevolent persons who may desire to become Benefactors by Will to this Institution, the following Form of Legacy is respectfully recommended :

" I give and bequeath unto the Treasurer for the time being of The Italian Hospital, Queen Square, London, W.C., the sum of (free of Legacy Duty), to be applied towards carrying on the charitable designs of the said Institution."

N.B.—By the operation of the Mortmain and Charitable Uses Act, 1891 Land or Buildings may be bequeathed to this Hospital.

***A most fitting and beneficent Memorial
to a departed relative or friend is an
Endowed Bed in the Italian Hospital.***

£1,000 ENDOWS A BED IN PERPETUITY.

£500 NAMES A BED DURING LIFE OF DONOR

£500 ENDOWS A COT IN PERPETUITY.

£50 NAMES A BED ANNUALLY.

The Cost of maintaining the Hospital is

£139. 16. 0. a week

19. 19. 5. a day

0. 16. 8. an hour

Every Shilling contributed maintains
the Institution for $3\frac{1}{2}$ minutes

Please give as many minutes as you
can in both time and money to help
the great work of this Charity.

Italiani

Aiutate il Vostro

Ospedale

Il suo costo di mantenimento è di :

Lst. 139. 16. 0. la settimana

Lst. 19. 19. 5. il giorno

Lst. 0. 16. 8. l'ora

**LA CONTINUAZIONE DELLA SUA
OPERA DIPENDE INTERAMENTE DA
VOI**

**OGNI SCCELLINO CHE MANDERETE
MANTERRÀ L'OSPEDALE PER
TRE MINUTI E MEZZO**